

Assistance to the State Governments for implementation of a scheme for control of shifting cultivation.

(b) The amount of Central Assistance released to different states during the last three years is as under:

<i>States</i>	<i>Funds released (Rupees in lakhs)</i>		
	<i>1988-89</i>	<i>1989-90</i>	<i>1990-91</i>
Andhra Pradesh	55.00	105.00	27.50
Arunachal Pradesh	67.75	106.50	200.00
Assam	52.00	145.00	127.50
Manipur	175.00	180.00	150.00
Meghalaya	130.00	150.00	180.00
Mizoram	178.00	250.00	255.00
Nagaland	290.00	243.00	350.00
Orissa	249.00	170.00	100.00
Tripura	105.00	150.00	150.00
TOTAL	1301.75	1500.00	1540.00

Sewerage System in East-Delhi

1648. SHRI B. L. SHARMA 'PREM': Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the underground sewers laid in East Delhi areas are not operational due to non functioning of sewerage disposal plant; and

(b) if so, the action taken or proposed by the Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) No, Sir. However the Delhi Water Supply and Sewage Disposal Undertaking has informed that in Trans-Yamuna area sewerage system is functional in 16 unauthorised/regularised colonies. The 10 MGD Sewerage Treatment Plant at Kondli in East Delhi is already functioning and an additional 25 MGD Sewerage Treatment Plant is under construction.

Clearance to Industrial Power Projects in Kerala

1649. SHRI V. S. VIJAYA-RAGHAVAN:

PROF. K. V. THOMAS:

SHRI KODIKKUNIL SURESH:

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of industrial and power projects in Kerala pending for want of environmental clearance; and

(b) the steps being taken for their expeditious clearance?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) Only two projects namely; Expansion of Petroleum Refinery of Cochin Refineries Ltd. and Kayamkulam Super Thermal Power Project of National Thermal Power Corporation await environmental clearance.

(b) The information sought regarding expansion of Petroleum refinery has been received only in July, 91. Kayamkulam Super Thermal Power Project has been considered in July, 91 but complete details on Rehabilitation Plan and disposal and utilisation of flyash are still awaited.

Promotion of Environmental Sanitation in Chandigarh

1650. SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the environmental sanitation is a part of National Health Policy; and

(b) if so, the steps taken for its promotion in Chandigarh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Proper solid waste management, sewage treatment, waste water disposal, creation of awareness among people about health hazards and community participation are among the steps taken to promote environmental sanitation in Chandigarh.

Review of the Working of Zonal Cultural Centres

1651. SHRI RAM KAPSE: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether any review was conducted about the functioning of the various Zonal Cultural Centres which organise 'Apna Utsav' programmes all over the country;

(b) if so, the outcome of such a review;

(c) the zone-wise expenditure incurred in the last three years; and

(d) the allocations made for the year 1991-92 for the Centres?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) A Statement showing zone-wise expenditure incurred by the Government is enclosed.

(d) Proposed allocation for 1991-92 is Rs. 300.00 lakhs.

STATEMENT

(Rs. in lakhs)

	1988-89	1989-90	1990-91
1. North Zone Cultural Centre, Patiala.	130.00	95.00	54.36
2. Eastern Zonal Cultural Centre, Santiniketan.	71.13	102.06	27.29
3. South Zone Cultural Centre, Thanjavur.	280.00	103.49	22.20
4. West Zone Cultural Centre, Udaipur.	130.00	102.00	5.20
5. North Central Zone Cultural Centre, Allahabad.	45.00	132.90	13.28
6. North East Zone Cultural Centre, Dimapur.	113.67	28.66	29.75
7. South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur.	30.00	96.56	10.67